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In re Application of
Mitch Chance
Application No. 09/507,379
Filed: February 18, 2000
Attorney Docket No. 370778

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed March 10, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

An Ex Parte Quayle Office action was mailed to applicant on May 18, 2004, which set a two (2) month shortened statutory period for reply. As no reply was received and no extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 were obtained, the application became abandoned on July 19, 2004.

Since the application became abandoned, applicant filed the instant petition and a proposed reply, namely, corrected drawings. Receipt of the drawings is acknowledged.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3223.

The application file is being referred to Technology Center 3600.

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